

The Kendals came, they saw, they conquered. They received the universal admiration and homage of the Pittsburg public. And the poor unfortunate who did not witness at least one of their performances is an object of commiscration indeed. Theater parties of every description-large, small, masculine, feminine, juvenile and adultabounded at the Bijou each evening. The seal of approval and social recognition was given Mr. and Mrs. Kendal in a thoroughly convincing manner by the world of wealth and fashion conspicuous at every performance.

The social attentions bestowed upon the English artists, however, were confined to the public acknowledgment of their worth and charm. As the emotional roles assumed by Mrs. Kendal required all her strength, pri-vate hospitality was necessarily declined. Of. Mr. Kendal, as an individual, I did not hear so very much. Poor man, he was completely overshadowed by his wife, who was "thused" about in every particular. Her hands, her feet, her face, her hair, her sweetness, her dignity and her crying were all objects of adulatory com-

ment, especially the latter.

Everyone admitted her superiority in that over even a pateral case of weep. Gentlemen became aneasy during the crying period, that in its reality doubtless recalled various family scenes of a trying nature. Ladies watched with unabated interest each convulsive gasp and strained the ear for the slightest sound, enjoying the keen stagony while so doing, but at the same time, as one little woman confessed, getting points for future use. Surely, Mrs. Kendal is peerless as a graceful and effective exponent of the art of crying, which gets an impetus in this city from her appearance.

Artistic and Musical.

We have been artistic during the week in other lines as well as the theatrical. The Art Seciety held a reception Tuesday evening, and offered the unusual attraction of a water color exhibit of 58 pictures. Verestchagin still held sway with increasing popularity. The School of Design also came to the front during the week with its annual examination. And a few privileged ones were permitted, with the judges, to view the exhibit made by it this year, which, after the invitation reception to-morrow evening, will be thrown open to the

We had music enough during the week to we a little spice, also. The Boston Mendelsin Quintet occupied the position of honor, i celigiting all those who heard them, either t the Pennsylvania College or at the Old City

Hall.

It was a week of banquets. The Burns banquet, on Monday night, at Hotel Schlosser, was one of the most elegant and successful public affairs ever given in the city. The Knights, on Thursday evening, at the Monongabela House, feasted, with their ladies, to their hearts' content. And on the same evening the Press Cinb banquet, at the Hotel Duquesne, and the Ladies' Press banquet, at the Duquesne Clubbouse, were social events of importance and magnitude. Regarding the ladies' banquet, there is nothing in the city's history of feminine doings to equal it. And the toasts delivered there is nothing in the city's history of feminine debted to the affable and pleasant hostess. The responses made at the gentlemen's banquet. The ladies maintained the position of equality with the sterner members of the profession. Mrs. C.L. Wade, the President, did amplejustice to "Our Brethren." as she would any subject upon which she might speak, and mingled the bitter and the sweet in a charming compound. Miss Cars Reese, with our "Editors in Chief," endowed them and their sanctums with delightful attributes of justice and fairness. Mrs. W. H. Gutelius, with "Our Sisterhood," expressed views agreeable and progressive. Mrs. Sarah Blerse, of Cleveland, truthfully exalted "Women's Press Cluba." Miss Belle Gorton, of Chicago, paid some glowing compliments to "The Fair Guard" that had so joyously entertained the visiting delegates. Miss Emily Kellorg, with "The White Squaw," entwined many beautiful and practical thoughts in easy graceful language. Mrs. Samuel Perry, Joseph Nelson, Samuel Brooks, William Every, Joseph Nelson, Samuel Brooks, William Kerfen, Joseph Nelson, Samuel Berry, Joseph Nelson, Samuel Brooks, William Kerfen, Joseph Nelson, Samuel Brooks, William Kerfen, Joseph Nelson, Samuel Berry, Joseph Nelson, Samuel Brooks, William Kerfen, Joseph Nelson, Samuel Berry, Joseph Nelson, Samuel Brooks, William Kerfen, Joseph Nelson, Samuel Berry, Joseph cal thoughts in easy, graceful language. Mra. Margaret Peers, with "The Press and Women, was thoroughly at home, and linked them together in a highly beneficial manner to both.

The Approach of Lent. As Lent approaches gayety increases in this city and the coming week is full to overflowing with social affairs, both large and small. But in Washington, where the season was just at its height, the death of Secretary Windom has put an end to overything of a social nature, and society ladies have been busy during the past several days canceling appointments and recalling cards, instead of arranging for new easures.
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The President has issued the customary order for all the departments to be draped in mourning for 80 days. And it is conjectured that the Chief Magistrate, out of respect to the late Secretary, who was an intimate personal friend, will cancel and decline all invitations for the remainder of the season.

The Secretary and his family have resided in Washington for so many warre—he haven been Washington for so many years—he having been a member of the House of Representatives,

Senator and in two Cabinets—his death is a severe blow, and all sorts of gayety must neces-

sarily cease for a time,
KATHLEEN BUSSEY-WATSON,

DOINGS OF THE WEEK.

Social Events That Made the Evenings of Mid-Winter Pleasant.

A large audience gathered in Christ Church, Brownsville, Pa., on Wednesday evening to witness the marriage ceremony of Miss Ann S. Jacobs and Mr. William L. Lephart. The ceremony was performed by the Rt. Rev. Bishop Whitehead, assisted by the Rector, Mr. Ensworth. The bride was preceded to the altar by elx ushers and ber maid of honor, Miss Lelia Jacobs. The ushers were Mr. Thomas H. Baskerfield, Mr. Lenord Lenhart, Mr. Charles S. Bowman, Mr. J. Howard Snowden and Mr. J. Campbell Rollerts with Mr. M. R. Jacobs as best man. After the ceremony a reception was tendered the newly married couple at the residence of her grandmother Mrs. Adam Jacobs. Among the guests present were: Mesdames Bowman, of Waverly, Ia.; McBirney, of Chicago: Colvin, Roberts and Clarke, of Pritzburg, and Wickes, of Bordentown, N. J. After the reception the weeding party left on a special train for Pittsburg. Bishop Whitehead, assisted by the Rector, Mr.

Miss Florence East acted as hostess to the Young People's Society of the Methodist Protestant Church in Bellevue on last Monday evening, on the occasion of their monthly socia-ble. The roomy and convenient parlors of the ble. The roomy and convenient parlors of the East mansion were filled by the members of the society and invited guests. The committee in charge, Misses Ella McIntosh and Lide Means and Mr. Warwick furnish such enjoyable programmes that the sociables are always attractive. The last was no exception, and a delightful evening was passed. Miss Edith Moyle added to her reputation as a charming elementosist by the manner in which she gave elocutionist by the manner in which she gave "The Legend of the Organ Builder." Miss Fiorence Young won rounds of applause by her Indian club exercise. The young lady is very graceful and her movements are the very

The cosy little home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Goeddel, 5818 Mignonette street, East End, was well filled with friends on Friday evening last, the occasion being the birthday of their daughter Carrie, who was taken completely by urprise. At 11 o'clock an elegant luncheon was served, after which dancing was indulged n, and all left declaring they had spent a verdeasant evening. Among those present wer fir, and Mrs. Winters and Mr, and Mrs. Thos Wilson, of Allegheny; Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Goeddel, Mr. and Mrs. Lee, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Gardner, Mrs. Schusler, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Neuhert, and Messrs. White, Louis Goeddel and Lee, the Misses Goeddel, Kraus, Schup, Lee, Masters Tom and Elmer Wilson, Fred.

held at the residence of Mr. J. B. Decker. Market street, Allegheny, Thursday evening. It was given by Miss Maggie Roney to a number of her friends. At II o'clock the party partook of a delicious lunch. The first prize was won by Miss Nan Carson and the booby brize was won by Steinbunner and Hill, the honors being evenly divided. Among those

present were: Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Decker, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Merriman, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Trimpia, Mr. and Mrs. George Geis, Mr. and Mrs. John Lenfesty, Mr. and Mrs. John Lenfesty, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Steinbunner, the Misses Siephens, Hilliard, Carson, Flaraharan, and Jennie and Maggie Roney; the slessrs. Miller, Merriman, Hall, Hill and Flaraharan.

A surprise party was tendered Miss Vera Smullin, 17 Monterey street, Allegheny, on Thursday evening, January 29. The evening was spent in dancing and the enjoyment of was spent in dancing and the enjoyment of various other amusements. Kidd's Bengalian Orchestra furnished music for the occasion. Refreshments were served later in the evening. Among those present were the following: The Misses Grace Webster, Lida Lvnn, Anna Barker, Mazie Hermann, Bertina Pinkerton, Lotta Dunlap, Gretta Bradley, Ida Ripper, Florence Stol zing: and Messrs. Frank Armstrong, Kingsley Clarke, George Robertson, Wade Elphinstone, James Bayne, Will Miller, Ralph Montgomery, Will Barker and Will Smullin.

One of the delightful events of the week was her residence, No. 2010 Jane street, on Wednesday evening. The young lady was equal to the day evening. The young lady was equal to the occasion, and entertained her guests in a royal mauner. Among those present were Will Harris, Harry Marsh, Thomas Harris, Wilbur Faux, Willie Wilhelm, Reardon Cotton, Louis Buchner, Andrew Salzman, and the Misses Maggie Shields, Grace Synar, Etta Beebe, Augusta Wilhelm, Alice Saurs, Kata Stokes, Jennie Brown, Leora Alexander, Amelia Sutter, Lottie Alexander, Lottie Lothein, Bertha Qevine and Stella Erny.

On Friday evening Master Sammie Triplett, of Carson street, Southside, was surprised by a large number of young folks. A very pleasant evening was spent in playing tiddledy winks. weening was spent in playing tiddledy wirks.
Music and dancing were also enjoyments of the
evening. Among those present were the
Misses Emma Batch. Trixic Abbot, Birdie,
Lulu and Stella Jay, Birdie and Virginia Mennig, Elsie Duffy, Mary Redpath, Adalaide
Whitehead, Thille Miller and Edna Triplett;
Messrs. Charles and Cecil Abbot, Roddie Anderson, Godfry Pastorious, Tommy Chisholm,
Carroll Brasey, Issia Whitehead and Eddie
Matthew.

Last Wednesday evening the inmates and officials of West Penn Hospital enjoyed a rare treat of song and verse. Superintendent Cowan and Matron Clemens decorated ward A for the occasion, and a large number of patients, attendants and doctors filled the spacious room. The star of the evening was Miss Edith Harries, who was assisted by Mrs. Cowan, Dr. Boggs and Dr. Todd. Miss Harries was in her happiest mood, and her mellow voice in her declamations and songs touched all present with its inspiration and sympathetic influence. Cowan and Matron Clemens decorated ward A

Cards are out for the second annual reception of the First Regiment, U. A. M., to be held at Grand Central Rink, Penn avenue, next Thursday evening. The Reception Committee consists of John M. Andrews, P. S. C.: Harry R. Pock, P. S. C.; Stephen McKain, P. S. C.; M. Pock, P. S. C.; Stephen McKain, P. S. C.; M. F. Cassady, P. S. C.; F. R. McGrew, S. C.; Thomas F. Asbford, Jr., S. V. C.; George Rome, S. Pre.: Charles S. Crall, S. Pro.; George W. Flowers, S. Sr. C.; W. W. Simmons, S. Jr. C.; F. S. Neale, S. W.; J. Rhodes Miller, S. M.; G. A. Swoger, S. F.; O. J. Hoover, S. T.

Miss Mollie Bennett, of Lawn street, Fourteenth ward, entertained a number of her friends on Thursday evening. Games, followed by a delicious lunch, was the programme for by a delicious lunch, was the programme for the evening. All had a delightful time. Among those present were the Misses Mamie Evans, H. Bennett, Bessie Morris, Mary Morris, Emma Griffith, Claudia Thomas, Masie Evans, Sadie Jones and Mollie Bennett; the Messrs. Dan Jones, Morris Griffith, Wyndom Black, Willie and Thomas Morris, Albert Evans, Harry Steinburg, Harry Davis, Willie Davis, Ralph and Ollie Purry.

The Monday Night Euchre Club met at the residence of Dr. S. H. Bryant, 1712 Sidney street, Southside, and was entertained by Miss Lulu Bryant, a member of the club. The head prizes were won by Mr. William Kimberland and Miss Nellie McGeary, the booby by Mr. Hern and Miss Emma Ganth. The evening was spent in an enjoyable manner, refreshments, etc., after which the merry party dispersed, tendering there hearty congratulations to the fair hostess. The club next meets at the residence of Miss McGeary, 1908 Sidney street.

A pleasant social was held on Tuesday evening at the residence of Mr. A. W. Smith, No. 305 Forbes avenue. The many friends are in-

Samuel Perry, Joseph Nelson, Samuel Brooks, William Keefe and Howard Brown.

The Windermere Club, Allegheny, held its weekly meeting on Friday evening, at the residence of Mass E. L. Donaldson, No. 27 Brighton place, and spent a very enjoyable evening. Dancing, music and games were the order of Dancing, music and games were the order of the evening. Among the many members pres-ent were Misses Donaldson, Brown, Johnston. Haffner, Nixon, McClelland, McPherson, Thompson, Fisher, Foster, Brant and Emerson, and Mesers, Patterson, Todd, Reynolds, Hetzel, Caldwell, Dawson, Pratt, Snyder, Benny, Fletcher, Bryar and Nixon.

The Eiffel Euchre Club celebrated the fifth party of the series at the residence.

Alice Small, of Irwin avenue. The head prizes were awarded to Miss Alice Small and Mr.

Chas White, after which an elegant supper the series of t was served. Among those present were: Miss Sadie Bartholomew, Emma Geis, Lizzie Rule, Alice Small, Mary and Ida Cole and Anna and Belle Dougherty, and Messrs, John Ruswinkle, Wm. Dutton, John Baird, J. H. Barclay, Wm. Beckett, J. Martin, Chas. White and Will

The Columbus Literary Association, of the Southside, held the second of its series of euchre parties last Wednesday evening. The first eucire parties has we causeday evening a be life.

Prize was won by Miss Beck and Mr. D. F.

Hannan, and the booby by Miss Keeffer and
Mr. Harry Laughrin. An elegant repast was
served, and dancing indulged in until an early
hour. The Pompadour Trio, compused of
Messrs, Salisbury, Hell and Hartman, furnished

The Afton Euchre Club, of Pittsburg, met at the residence of Mr. and Mr. E. S. Means, of 280 Wylie avenue, on last Tuesday evening, and were very charmingly entertained by the host and hostess. The head prize for ladies, a hand-some painted plaque on easel, was won by Miss Pickering. A very pretty china mustache cup and saucer on easel was won by Mr. E.i. ward Reicmeyer. Supper was served at 11 o'clock, after which dancing was indulged in tor several hours. tor several hours.

The fifth annual reception of the Societa Fraterna Italiana will be held at New Turner Hall, Forbes street, next Thursday evening. The society is composed of well-known and popular Pittsburgers, and their annual receptions bave always been brilliant affairs. This is to be no exception. The Original Rayal Orchestra is to be in attendance, and dancing will be one of the chief pleasures of the evening.

Miss Lillian and Helen Reddick, of Lacock street, Allegheny, gave a select musical and hop at their home on Tuesday evening in honor of their aunt, Miss Ella Hart, from St. Louis, Mo. Miss Hart appeared in a robe of cream silk and black veivet. The Misses Reddick wore costumes of pink crepe and silk lace. A programme of popular and classical selections of music and elocution was rendered.

The Misses Lange, of 63 Washington street Allegheny, entertained the Duquesne Euchre Club last Tuesday evening. The first prizes were won by Miss Mary Schwer and Mr. John McKenna, while the booby prizes were carried away by Miss Anna Schwer and Mr. Harry Briney. After the game the guests all enjoyed

A cake social, with musical and literary en tertainment, will be given by Chapman Circle Ladies of the G. A. R. Thursday evening, February 5, at the Fourth ward school hall, Aliegheny. Among those taking part are Miss Lulu A. Butler. Miss Edith Atkinson, Miss Leon Long, Mr. J. V. Lewis and many others.

A party was given at the residence of Miss Irene Daly, 878 Main street, on Tuesday evening. Among those present were the Misses A. Bailey, K. Wright, G. Coll, J. and B. Daly, and Messrs, H. McPike, C. and S. Coll, C. McAdams, W. Murphy. The features of the evening were dancing and card playing.

A society event of the coming week will be the Smithfield Club's third annual reception, at the Monongaheia House, Friday evening, The affair is expected to outdo all former events given by the club. The committee in charge have spared no time to make this affair a grand social success.

A throng of young folks and friends, chaper-

oned by Mrs. France, surprised Mrs. Charles Hartman, of Preble avenue, Allegheny, on Friday night. Her beautiful home was brilliantly lighted. Some of the ladies present wore some magnificent robes. An elegant supper was served at a late hour, after which there was dancing and recitations.

One of the prettiest musicals given in Wiltinsburg this winter was that held at the residence of Mr. S. G. Fairley, on Hay street, Tuesday evening. The handsome pariors were tastefully decorated with flowers and growing plants. With the large assemblage of guests, ali of whom were attired in evening dress, the all of whom were attired in evening dress, the whole was strongly suggestive of a scene in fairy land. The programme, which was a very interesting one, opened with a pianoforte solo by J. G. Heckman, of Allegheny. Following this was a recitation—one of Whitcomb Riley's humorous sketches—by Mr. Frank Miller. Next came a vocal solo, "Ave Maria," superbly rendered by Miss Minnie Denkey. Mr. Bird and daughter. Miss Tillie, then played a catchy duet on banjo and piano. Mr. Bird followed with a ballad, "The Little Hearts," after which Mrs. Dr. Simpson read the potion scene from with a ballad, "The Little Hearts," after which Mrs. Dr. Simpson read the potion scene from "Romeo and Juliet" in a very effective manner. A piano selection by Miss Florence Winn and a vocal solo, "Open the Lattice," by Miss Lillian Knecht, were both deservedly applauded. The curse scene from "Leab, the Forsaken," was dramatically presented by Miss J. Scribnet, and the long and varied programme came to a close with a pianoforte solo by Mrs. J. C. Heckman. The occasion throughout was very enjoyable, and it is the intention of some of Wilkinsburg's young folk to have it repeated at an early date if possible.

A lunch box social was given in Wilkinsburg last Thursday under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Trinity Reformed Church. There was a great deal of fun over the distri-bution of the lunch boxes, and a neat sum was turued into the treasury of the society.

Leland T. Powers is to give a characteristic entertainment at Academy Hall, Wilkinsburg, Thursday next, He will represent various characters from Dickens' works, including "Uriah Heep," "Micawber," "Captain Cuttle," etc. This will be the fifth entertainment of the Y. M. C. A. course,

Mr. W. C. Bracey, of the Southside, has cause to remember long his 58th birthday, last Wednesday. His friends gathered at the Wednesday, His friends gathered at the Xantha Club rooms on masse in the early even-ing, and when all was ready Mr. Bracey was sent for. To say that he was surprised and that he received a royal welcome would hardly de-scribe the scene.

Miss Ida Horner, a little miss of 13 years, cel ebrated her birthday anniversary last Wednesday evening at her parents' home on Locust street. Music, games, and dancing were en-joyed by the tiny ones, and the petite hostess was deluged with presents from her young

The Heliotrope Club held a meeting at the home of Miss Mamie Lee, Swissvale, January The evening was pleasantly spent in the election of officers and discussion of plans for the future of the club. Mrs. Caloline Dieterle was delightfully sur

prised at her residence, 3022 Carson street, Southside, on Thursday evening, by her many friends. The evening was spent in dancing, and an elaborate lunch crowned the gayety at a late hour. Thomas A. Beechey, Charles Meiser and David E. Beechey entertained 150 of their

friends with a masquerade party at Enterprise Parlors, Allegheny, Friday evening, January 80 Cards are out for the marriage of Miss Annie Huncleman and Mr. Michael Ryan on February 5. Miss Mary Watson will act as brides maid and Mr. W. E. Lang as best man.

The regular meeting of the Independe Literary Society was held at the residence of Miss Ida Shaw, on the New Brighton road, Eleventh ward, during the week.

The Batchelor Club, of the Southside, gave very enjoyable party to their lady friends at the Palace parlors on last Tuesday evening. A very pleasant masquerade party was given at the dancing school of Miss Kirk, 327 Beaver avenue, Fridar evening, January 30.

Miss Lydia Golden, of Calvin street, enter tained a number of her friends last Thursday evening in a very pleasant manner.

A very pleasant party was given last week at the new home of Philipp Peifer, on Spring Garden avenue. A third son arrived at the home of Mr. and

Mrs. Leonard Wales on Monday evening, January 26. Society Small Talk. G. E. Edwards has returned home to New York after a week's visit to J. M. Maguire, of

Miss Mollie Scobey, of Federal street, Alle-gheny, has gone to Lectonia, Ohio, her former home, for a few days. Mrs. M. Aron, of McKinney, Tex., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Fenchtwanger, 162 Locust street, Allegheny.

Miss Porter, of Stockton avenue. Allegheny, has returned to her home after a very delight-cul visit of five weeks' duration in Washington,

Colonel Bennett H. Young, of Louisville Ky., while in the city, spent most of his time with Mr. and Mrs. B. L. H. Dabbs, who are warm personal friends of long standing. Miss Allie McElree, the charming elecations who taught in the Wilkinsburg Academy, and delighted many an East End audience with her recitations, has moved to Butler, Pa., her

Mrs. Dr. J. N. Boggs and Miss Lily Wicker-sbam left Wednesday evening for an extended trip to the South. They will spend some time with Mrs. W. K. Cavanaugh (nee Miss Edna loggs) in Memphis.

Sewickley Society Notes.

Miss Irene McVey is in Philadelphia, the guest of Mrs. Victor Strobel. Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Nevin have rented the house recently occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pease. The only social affairs for this week are the

two weddings—the Anderson-Murry one on Tuesday at 5 o'clock in the Methodist Episcopai Church, and the Chaplin-Campbell one Thursday evening at 5:30 o'clock in the First Presbyterian Church. James Whitcomb Riley is to be at the Methodist Church to-morrow evening. Mr. Riley will be assisted by Mrs. Birdle Lucas Tener, Miss Mary T. Glenn, Mr. William Adair, Mr. William Whitesell and Mr. A. F. Novin, who

whitam whiteself and Sir. A. F. Nowin, who have arranged a choice musical programme for the occasion. Tickets can be procured at Ward's drug store, or from any member of the committee of the "Sewickley Valley Lecture Course."

Course."

Mrs. Joseph P. Rankin gave two delightful progressive euchre parties last week—one Tuesday afternoon the other Thursday. The ladies fortunate in carrying off the prizes on Tuesday afternoon were Miss Dickson for the greatest number of points, Miss McVey consolation and Miss Nevin for lone hands. On Thursday Mrs. Burrows won the first, Mrs. Gratton the consolation and Mrs. McKown the lone band.

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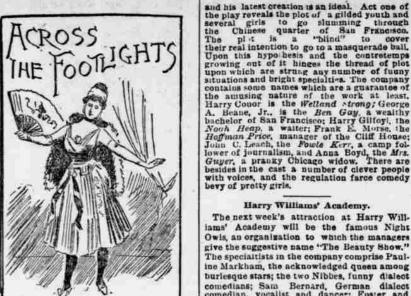
What a Dealer Says of Chamberlain's Cough

Remedy. Mr. G. L. Faurote, proprietor of the West Side Grocery at Niles, Michigan, states that while engaged in business in Indiana he handled a full line of Chamberlain's med icines, and that his sales on Chamberlain's Cough Remedy were very large. The remedy, he said, gave first-class satisfaction to his patrons, also that he always used it ex-clusively in his own family whenever required and with the most gratifying results. Let anyone troubled with a severe cough or cold give it an honest trial and they will soon become convinced of its excellence. It possesses qualities peculiar to itself which make it far superior to any other for acute throat and lung diseases, such as coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough. WSu

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tjou Theater. ."The Hustler" Grand Opera House "Good Old Times"
Duquesne Theater "A Trip to Chinatown"
Williams' Academy "Night wis" Vorld's Museum......Curiositles, etc Davis' Museum.... Harris' Theater ... The above are the theatrical attractions for

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this week. Pittsburg is strongly tempted to demand that "Our Madge" shall be considered belonging as much to Western Pennsylvania as to London. We thank London for putting

our sentiments into two words that express them so well. Mr. and Mrs. Kendal on the

wears good clothes easily, because the cos-tumes are new and brilliant, and because the entertainment goes with a snap that pro-clever management.

George C. Jenks' "U. S. Mail" gave enjoynent to a good many people last week, but to none more than the printers and postoffice, employes that attended in large numbers at every performance. They enjoyed the keen satire on their respective occupations as men only can when they thoroughly understand the subject satirized. The "U. S. Mail" is regarded by the theatrical profession as one of the marked hits of the season.

The Wilbur Opera Company is to stay at Harris' Another week. This is one of the few entertainments that can play two consecutive weeks in Pittsburg.

Byron W. King's Shakespeare class is to give

dramatic entertainment at the Bijou Theater on Friday afternoon next. The play will be on Friday afternoon next. The play will be "Macbeth," and Lady Macbeth will be represented by a different actress in each act, as follows: First act, Miss Mary R. Kennedy: second act, Miss Alice McCullough; third act, Miss Theodora Marshall; fifth act, Miss Marcella Brownlee. Edgar Languer will do Macbeth.

Bijou Theater. The manager of "The Hustler" has this to

ay about his artraction:
"A veritable mine of fun is in store for the patrons of the Bijou Theater this week, for Mr. | will have the Wilbur Opera Company here ler," will be unfolded for the diversion of local theater goers. The coming of this attraction has been anticipated by votaries of mirth, music and song, with a degree of interest at once enthusiastic and unprecedented, and when the curtain rises at the Bijou to morrow night the company should face an antience that will undoubtedly crowd that popular playhouse to its fullest capacity.

"No stress is laid upon the literary worth of 'The Hustler,' and while it is almost plotless and faulty from a critical standpoint, yet it possesses a well-told story, unique situations, amusing incidents and an abundance of 'go.'

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Management's feature de resistance how. Lew Rosen's famous farcical play, "The Hust-ler," will be unfolded for the diversion of local

ever, is the surpassingly splendid corps of comedians, dancers, singers and specialists that present the work, and their conspicuous

that present the work, and their conspicuous ability amply arones for any imperfections in the comedy itself.

"The Hustler tells the story of the trials and loves of Anna Dania, the proprietress of the Cambridge flats, New York. Among her roomers are "Con" McFadden, "the hustler," a gentleman who is in a chronic state of bank-ruptey, but who is constantly evolving. a gentleman who is in a chronic state of bankruptcy, but who is constantly evolving
schemes for making millions. Aniser Busch,
a festive German, is another denizen of the
Dania establishment, and is a frequent victim
of McFudden's financial exploits. The chief
interest centers in the efforts of McFndden and
Busch to win the hand of the fair Miss Dania.
McFudden is ensmored of the landlady for
mercenary reasons, while Busch presens his suit
for the sole purpose of defeating the volatile
McFudden. The fierce rivalry of these gentry
re-ult in some extremely langhable scenes. more date. The heree rivary of these gentry result in some extremely langhable scenes, John Kernell, as McFadden, is said to have made the hit of his life; Dan Mason plays the German part most humorously; Gus Mills enacts the role of Anna Dania so cleverly that his auditors mistage him for a woman; Mellie Thompson, mistake him for a woman; Mellie Thompson, one of the leading comediennes of the day, is seen as Pussy Winks, McFadden's quiet neicet John S. Marr presents a happy caricature of the typical English swell, Lee Harrison, as an irrepressible office boy, tickles the risibles of the audience to an alarming extent, and Misses Georgie Lincoln, Victoria Walters and Lillie West, bob up serenely and sweetly throughout the piece, Among he special features are the singing of Harry Leighton and the Boston male quarter. A contingent of London skirt-dancers win applause for their skill and beauty. "Mile, Staccione, who is accounted one of the greatest of danseuses, appears in the Carmencita Spanish dance, and in dazzling premiere evolutions Toe-dancing, as performed by the sylph-like Staccione, is said to be a revelation to American audiences.
"All in all, 'The Hustler' is well deserving of the goodly quantity of ducats that it will surely extent from the nubble vice state." the goodly quantity of ducats that it will surely extract from the public twis week."

Grand Opera House

Commencing to-morrow night at the Grand Opera House, the Wilson Barrett and Hall Caine's great London and New York success, "Good Old Times," with all its original scenery and mechanical effects and strong cast of characters will be given. Speaking of this great play, the Boston Globe says:

The play is founded on a story of domestic The play is founded on a story of domestic love, unhappiness, despair and rewarding joy, the plot being worked out with a wealth of stirring incident. The scene of the play, which is in four acts, is laid partly in Cumberland, England, and partly in Van Dieman's Land.

The story opens on a Christmas eve, in the midst of a snowstorm. In the opening scene, John Langley, Sheriff of Cumberland, and recently married, is surrounded by several of his workmen, including one Amos Baton. Some time previously a murder had been committed in Yorkshire, Cosby Granger having killed an old clergyman, whose daughter had scorned him. The murdered, with his wife, Lucy Down, has disappeared, and so has Mary Harding, the murdered man's daughter. The common belief is that the three have fied together, whereas Mary Harding has gone by herself, under a false name, into Cumberland, hoping to live down her sorrow. She meets Sheriff Langley, and after a short courtship becomes his wife, without telling him her true name. On the Christmas eve on which the story opens, police officers arrive in Cumberland and secure warrants for the arrest of "Crosby Granger and his sweetheart, Mary Harding."

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In the second act the scene is changed to the convicts ettlement at Tasmania, where Granger, who has partly recovered from his wound, is serving out his term for the murder of William Harding, Amos Drew, his accomplice; and Langley for shooting G anger, Langley is informed by the superintendent that if he is not reported for bad conduct within 24 hours, he will be removed to the farm of a Mrs. Morgan, in whose employ are several convicts whose good behavior entitle them to freedom on the island. Mrs. Mo gan is really the wife of Langley.

Hoyt's "A Trip to Chinatown" is the attraction that is to open at the Duquesne Theater to-morrow night. The title, "A Trip to China-town," is misleading. There is no trip and Chinatown doesn't enter into the piece at all, save in the discussion of the characters. The actors talk about going to Chinatown as a Western man talks of going to Paris, but they don't get there. The general lines of the piece are modeled on those of Hoyt's earlier farces. The plot, what there is of it, revolves about

and his latest creation is an ideal. Act one of the play reveals the plot of a gilded youth and several girls to go slumming through the Chinese quarter of San Francisco. The plot is a "blind" to cover their real intention to go to a masquerade ball. Upon this hypo besis and the contratemps growing out of it hinges the thread of plot upon which are string any number of tuny situations and bright specialties. The company contains some names which are a guarantee of the amusing nature of the work at least, Harry Couor is the Welland Strong; George A. Beane, Jr., is the Ben Gay, a wealthy buchelor of San Francisco; Harry Gilfoyl, the Nooh Heap, a watter; Frank E. Morse, the Hoffman Price, manager of the Cliff House, John C. Leach, the Fouck Kerr, a camp follower of journalism, and Anna Boyd, the Mrs. Guyer, a pranky Chicago widow. There are besides in the cast a number of clever people with voices, and the regulation farce comedy bevy of pretty girls.

give the suggestive name "The Beauty Show." The specialtists in the company comprise Pauline Markham, the acknowledged queen among ine Markham, the acknowledged queen among burlesque stars; the two Nibbes, funny dialect comedians; Sam Bernard, German dialect comedian, vocalist and dance: Fos'er and Lewis, in new and original character sketches; Lillian Granger, lyric star, and Dellhauer, the frog man. Besides these there will be a carefully selected chorus of 20 pretty girls who can sing. The entertainment closes with a new burlesque; "The Temptation of Faust," introducing the handsomest women on the American stage, and repiete with catchy music from the latest popular operas, sung by real artists. The burlesque is to be produced with great spiendor as regards wardrobe, scenery and effects, and it is said to be one of the most brilliant spectacles now before the public. The Night Owls are now making their fifth annual tour.

World's Museum

At the World's Museum this week the management advertise the farewell tour of "America's beautiful daughter, Miss Annie Bell, who one year ago created such a sensation in England by her remarkable beauty and symmetry of form. She is 21 years of age, her symmetry of form. She is 21 years of age, her show-bills, if you please, but "Our Madge" in our hearts and in family converse. We cannot give the graceful, sweet woman who held us enthralled last week, the cold title that may be borne by anyone, from our washwoman to the President's wife. We need something distinctive, and we find it in the caressing appellation, "Our stadge."

The reason "Later On" is such a hit is, I opine, because Mr. Hart is a thorough musician, because Mr. Hallen is a handsome fellow, who wears good clothes easily, because the costumes are new and brilliant, and because the

Jonathan Bass, the ossified man, will appear one week more only at Harry Davis' Fifth Avenue Museum. Bass is a solid bone, without bend or break, hard and flexible from the soles of his feet to the top of his head. He cannot move, he weighs but 70 pounds, he cannot see, but he can talk and eat and smoke and drink, and seems to be extremely happy in his dispoand seems to be extremely happy in his dispo-sition. Nearly 35,000 people have visited him in the past six days. Of this number fully 250 have been physicians, and many of them lead-ing surgeons of Pittsburg and Allegheny. After the present week he goes to New York-city, where he remains for a short time or ex-hibition, and announces that his public career will then close, so this will probably be the last opportunity to see him.

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Another feature will be the appearance of Young Samson, who is termed the strongest man in the world. The stare attractions will be Lew and Delia Walters, the musical marvels; the white-haired family from the Isle of Madiagascar. In the theatorium, Mackin and Curdy, black face comedians; the well-known lyric artist, Miss Emma Bell; Morrello, the being artist, Miss Being Being Morreilo, the pantomimic clown, and his troupe of trained spaniels; James Nery, Ed. E. Evans; the society sketch artists, Maginley and Martin, and the refined Irish comedians, Fitsgerald and Kelly, and others,

Harris' Theater. Lovers of comic opera will hail with delight the announcement that Harris, Britton & Dean

JULIAN JORDAN has been made the must al director of "Yon Yonson." IRMA MARIE, sister of Paola Marie, and as great an artist, died in Paris last week. In the spring time Richard Mansfield and his latest manager, Mr. Hartz, part company. JAMES O'NEIL in "The Dead Heart" follows 'Good Old Times" at the Grand Opera House, MARIE TEMPEST has scored heavily in

"Dorothy," which is now pleasing Boston au-MRS. LANGTRY has stopped all preparations for "Hero and Leander," and will do one of

JOHN KEENELL is to star next season in an Irish play, under the management of Davis and Keegh, DE WOLF HOPPER played "The Lady or the Tiger" at a matinee in St. Paul last week. It

proved as much of a failure there as it did at Wallack's Theater. STACCIONE, the premiere danseuse with "The Hustler," is but 18 years old. The Spanish dance has proven one of the sensa-tions of the season. An entertainment will be given by the Old

Plantation Jubilee Singers next Saturday night for the benefit of the families of the dead miners at Mammoth. AFTER her long illness Miss Julia Marlowe has completely recovered and will resume her professional duties about the 1st of March un-der the management of Fred Stinson. HARRY B. SMITH and Reginald de Koven's "Robin Hood" or "Maid Marian," whichever i will be called is to be produced at the Prince of Wales Theater, London, February 5.

COLONEL ALFRIEND'S new play, "The Louisianan," will have a production in New York next month. E. J. Henley and May Hampton will have the principal parts. SADIE MARTINOT received over a cartload of flowers during the engagement of "Dr. Bill" in Boston. The Harvard boys, with whom she was always a prime favorite, turned out en masse to welcome her.

MR. CHARLES H. HOYT and his business partner, Mr. Charles W. Thomas, will be in Pittsburg, accompanied by Mr. Frank McKee, their general manager, during the early part of the "Trip to Uhinatown's" engagement at the

THE new and novel fire fly effect which is produced in "Good Old Times" at the Grand Opera House next week, is said to be a won-derful piece of mechanical skill. Fire flys are seen during the action of the play flitting from bush to bush.

MOLLIE THOMPSON, one of the comedienne with "The Hustler," is a very talented and versatile little lady. She is a daughter of the veteran John Thompson, of "On Hand" fame, and received her stage training in her-father's company. Miss Thompson has a bright future. THE "Crystal Slipper," that most gorgeous of extravagauzas, which made such a bit at the Duquesne a month ago, returns next week, following "Chinatown," for a week's engagement. Eddie Foy has some new topical material especially for this engagement, which is made possible only by Mr. Henderson's "buying off" the attraction booked for the time. The "Slipper" Company contains 100 people and will arrive by special train. The receipts of

and universal evidences of success as has been bestowed upon Francis Wilson and company's performance of the operetta, "The Merry Mon arch." It was first seen at the Broadway Theater, New York, on August 18. Its recep-Theater, New York, on August 18. Its rection was marked by more enthusiasm that been seen in a New York theatin a very long while, and next day the news of the success was emplized in the daily papers by the most lay raise from the oritics for the star, the nut he libratto, the company and the manner production. It was one of those rure in peculiar to New York City alone, in which peculiar to New York City alone, in which the tile of success spreads over Broadway, through the hotels and into the theater lobbies and ciubs with the rapidity of the telegraph. Be-fore the curtain fell on the last act all the pub-lic resorts were ringing with the praises of "Wilson's greatest achievement" in his re-markable prosperous career. central character, who on this occasion hap-



An instance of a soldier's devotion to a comrade was vividly brought back to the memories of those who were mostly concerned, last Monday pight.

Among the dead and dying on Fredericksburg's bloody field on December 13, 1862, lay a soldier of Company B, One Hundred and Twenty-third Pennsylvania Regiment. The terrible repulse of the Union troops was accomplished, and they recrossed the Rappahannock, torn and shattered. It was about 3 or 4 o'clock. This soldier of Company B was terribly wounded in the leg and could not move. There he lay, fully conscious, through the long, weary hours. The sun went down on the ghastly scene, and the soldier's down on the ghastly scene, and the soldier's hopes fled fast. He was bleeding to death, Would help ever come to him? He had become weary of watching the dark figures moving among the dead and wounded for a familiar face. It was nearly midnight. The soldier had resigned himself to die. Suddenly a familiar form appeared in the darkness. The wounded man hardly dared trust his eyes, "Is that you. Sam?" he breathlessly asked. "Thank God. Dave, I have found you" was the response, and the rescuer carried his friend from the field into the friendly lines and to medical aid.

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The story was told by Comrade John W. Morelsnd, of Post 151, at the open meeting of Post 545 last Monday evening. The wounded soldier was Comrade David Morrison, of Post 123, and his rescner, Comrade Samuel Warden, of Post 545. Both belonged to the same regiment and company. As Comrade Moreland finished he handed to Comrade Warden a beautifully engraved gold Past Commander's badge, the gift of Comrade Morrison and the members of Post 545. Both the comrades were much affected as the story was told.

The open meeting was an enjoyable one. There were recitations, songs and speeches. Comrade Charles W. Gerwig, of Post 123, addressed the ladies in his finest manner. Comrade Charles W. Gerwig, of Post 124 addressed the ladies in his finest manner. Comrade Charles W. Gerwig, of Post 125 addressed the ladies in his finest manner. Comrade Charles W. Gerwig, of Post 126, made an excellent speech. The ladies' auxiliary had prepared a delicious oyster supper, which all enjoyed after the entertainment.

The Soldiers' Home Commission Comrade Charles C. Shirk, of Post 67, Erie, was last Monday appointed a member of the Holdiers' Home Commission by Department Commander Denniston. Strong pressure was brought to bear on the Department Commander by the soldiers and citizens of Erie, who have by the soldiers and citizens of Erie, who have made repeated efforts to have a resident member of the commission. Considering the great work of the Grand Army and citizens of Erie, through whose efforts mainly the Home there was instituted, Commander Denniston could not refuse the request, and Comrade Shirk, who was unanimously indorsed by soldiers and citizens, was appointed. There was great rejoicing in Erie when the appointment was announced last week. The Erie papers strongly indorse the appointment.

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The Department Commander had serious difficulty in fluding a place for the Eric member as all the members of the commission were highly satisfactory. The member whose term had expired and who leaves the commission, does so for no other reason than that the Eric people were plainly entitled to a member on the commission, and a place had to be made. The commission will organize in Eric some time this month.

Captain Cooper's Bravery.

Captain James H. Cooper, who was last week appointed by Governor Pattison to the position of Keeper of the Arsenal of Harrisburg, made vacant by the death of Captain Maloney, was a brave soldier. At the outbreak of the war he

Battery B, First Artillery, Pennsylvania Reserves. He was successively First Sergeant, Second Lieutenant and Captain, attaining the last rank August 2 1861.

Few other organizations had a reputation equal with "Cooper's Battery," the outgrowth of Captain Cooper's acknowledged efficiency and gallantry. On the left at Fredericksburg, December 13, 1862, after the attempt by General Meade, with the Reserves, to break through General Lee's line failed, for lack of promised support, and the well directed fire of Battery B alone prevented the enemy from forcing the Union line, General Repodds, riding up to Captain Cooper, said: "You are the bravest man in the Army of the Potomac." Captain Cooper lived at New Castle.

Post 151's Memorial Service The deaths of departed compades of Post 151 were commemorated in the Eighteenth Street M P Church Southside last Sunday, The services were elaborate and were perhaps the most imposing ever held on the Southside pulpit and empty chairs beautifully. Posts 41. 128, 155, 157 and 236 were each present in a body, and representatives of other posts attended. The speeches and music were of an excellent

rder. Commander John S. Lambie, of Post 8, de-Commander John S. Lamble, of Post & de-ligered the address of the day. The comrades thought they had never heard a finer one. De-partment Commander Deuniston matte one of his characteristic addresses, from which the comrades took much encouragement. Post 151 is thankful to the posts that attended and to all who assisted.

The Department Encampment Three weeks from next Tuesday is the date of the Department encampment. The arrangements are well in hand. A committee is work in Altoona preparing for the delegates The department officials are in communicati with this committee and everything is reported in excellent shape. The encampment will be a specially interesting one. All indications point to a red-hot contest for the Department Commandership. Four candidates are in the field, Courades Geo. G. Boyer, of Harrisburg; William D. Stauffer, of Laucaster; John P. Taylor, of Mifflin county, and Samuel M. Trinkle, of Philadelphia.

Philadelphia.

Matters relating to the encampment will be considered by the Allegheny county delegates next Saturday at the meeting in Municipal Hall. A full attendance is urged.

Along the Line.

ATTENTION, Altoona delegates! Don't forget the meeting at Municipal Hall next Satur-As a novelty in the musical line the "Sunflower concert" of Post 128 will take the cake. Go and see it, boys. COMRADE ALEXANDER GRAY, of Post 88

who has been sick for some time at his home in Allegheny, is very low.

Post 3 has received its section of the cyclo rama of Gettysburg. The exact dispositi THE Grand Army Band will give a vocal and instrumental concert on Thursday, February 26. Some well known vocalists will sine. Post 4 is distinguished for a number of fine singers, among whom are Comrades Anderson Peters, Oursier, Rev. Mr. Oliver and Commander

On the evening of Monday, February 9 Comrade Judge Siagle will deliver an address at the meeting of Post 3. All comrades are cordially invited to be present. A LARGE number of comrades attended the religious meeting at Carnegie Hall last Sun-day in response to the invitation of D. W. Whittie, the evangelist comrade. The hall was

PRESIDENTS of Circles Nos. 6, 7, 11, 15, 21, 22,

23, 24, 33, 42 and 60, Ladies of the G. A. R., are requested to meet at the D-partment Presi-dent's residence, 21 Knoll street, Allegheny, next Tuesday at 20'clock P. M. Post 157 on Thursday night decided to hold its annual memorial services for dead com-rades as usual on the Sunday nearest to the date of the organization of the post, March 29, Place, Turner Hall, Forbes street.

THE wives of members of Encampment No. 1. U. V. L., organized themselves into an auxiliary Thursday evening. Officers were elected and a name decided upon. Notice will be given of the next meeting hereafter. Tun benefit for the Soldier's Widows Home to be given at the Standard Theater next Fri-day by Mallon's Lyceum School of Acting, promises to be a big success. It will be under

the auspices of General Alex. Hay's Circle No. 12 Ladies of the G. A. R.
On last Tuesday evening Mrs. Carrie V. Sherriff, Department President of the Ladies of the G. A. R., assisted by Emma K. Snead also of Pittsburg, installed the officers of a new circle. in Philadelphia. Mrs. Kate Jones is Pre-rient of the new circle. COMRADE OURSLES, of Post 4, Latrobe, is one of the boys who knows how to entertain his one of the boys who knows how to entertain his old comrades when they visit him. This was evidenced by the spread he gave his guests from Pittsburg on Friday night. Those who partook of his bounts are loud in their praise of his hospitality and the fraternal kindness of his neble wife and charming daughter.

THE address of M. H. McLaughlin, of Company B. Sixty-second Pennsylvania Volunteers, is wanted by Dr. H. K. Beatty, No. 73 Fremont street, Allegheny, who has been ap-pointed special examiner in this case. Accord-ing to the information from the Pension De-partment, McLaughlin is confined to his bed with rheumatism, and lives in the Third ward, Pittshurg.

THE arrangements for Post 88's presentation of the "Fall of Atlanta" are progressing nicely. Rehearsals will commence very soon. The cast of characters is almost completed. With a few exceptious it will be the same as last year. Miss Lillian Burkbardt, Mrs. Carrie V. Sherriff, Comrades Charles F. Sherriff and D. A. Jones will sustain leading roles. The play will be given one week, commencing Monday, April 13, in the Grand Opera House.

INSTANCES illustrating the boundless charity Instances illustrating the boundless charity of the Grand Army are of frequent occurrence. Charles Matthews, an old soldier whose relatives reside here, died at the Dayton Soldiers' Home. His mother and sister were too poor to have the remains brought here. They appealed to the Grand Army of Allegheny, which had the body brought here and buried with a soldier's honor- last Monday. The dead soldier was not a member of the G. A. R. This is one instance of many.

nstance of many. Post 206 will have a house-warming next Friday night at their fine new post room, Florence Hall, Arthur street. Department Commander Denniston and staff will be pres ent, Comrade W. J. Patterson, of Post 157, who organized the post, will give a history of its organization. Comrade Sample, of Post 128, Commander Lamble, of Post 28, and the always entertaining chaplain of Post 204, Comrade Lafayette, will address the audience. There will also be a number of well-known elocu-tionists and sinceres, including Post 187's quar-tet. Don't miss it, for it will be a big thing. JOSEPH BENNETT, of Homestead, was

years, I mouth and 24 days old and 4 feet 9 inches high when he enlisted as a drummer in the Nineteenth United States Infantry at Johnstown, and as the law would not allow him Johnstown, and as the law would not allow him to enlist before he was 13 years of age his father had enough patriotism in him to stale that he was the required age. He served all through the war and saw some of the severest fighting, but escaped without a wound. At present he belongs to Post 181, located at Braddock. It is claimed for him that he is the youngest veteran of the civil war. He will be 41 years of age in June.

Post 215's fair came to close last night after successful run of two weeks. Entertainents, dancing, etc., were features. An enjoyable entertainment was given Thursday evening. Mrs. Dr. Miller, Miss Clara Powelson David and Hertie Moore, James Calhoun and others assisted. Post 3 visited the fair on Tuesday evening. On the same evening the children of the Westlake School were present. On Friday evening the children of the Stevens School were visitora. The Luckey School visited during the first week. The different schools engaged in a sharp contest for a flag.

GENERAL A. A. HUMPHREYS' Circle Ladies of the G. A. R. held a very enjoyable entertainment at their ball, in Millvale borough, Monday evening. After a delicious supper the guests adjourned to the hall, where they were entertained with some excellent music, both vocal and instrumental; also some choice recitations by Mrs. Sweitzer, of McKeesport, and Miss Hays, of the same place. Quite a delegation from Posts 128 and 250 were present. After the entertainment Comrade Gerwig, of 128, presented Past Commander S. Warden, of 545, with a hand-some gold badge, from the comrades of 545. Past Commander D. C. Morrison, of 128, responded in behalf of Comrade Warden in a next and appropriate speech, followed by Comrade Reed in one of his brezzy off-hand speeches. Altogether, the evening was a pleasant one and one well spent by all.

Post 4 Latrobe, Pa., held an open meeting where they were entertained with some

Post 4, Latrobe, Pa., held an open meeting for installing the new officers on Friday even ing. The new Commander is the Rev. J. C. Miller, of the M. E. Church. Comrade Miller carried a musket during the late unpleasant-ness, being a private in Company H. Ninth Pennsylvania Reserves. He lost his left arm at the pattle of Gaines' Mill in the seven days' fight. Post 4 is noted for its fighting preachers.
Department Commander Denniston was present and delivered a practical and onthusiastic address. Mrs. Bray, of Greensburg. President of the Auxiliary Ladies' Circle of G. A. R., captured the house in a pointed and humorous speech. Addresses were also made by Competent of the Comp rades T. G. Sample, of Post 128, X. S. Roes, of Post 157, Dr. Bullen, of Post 151, and others. It was a red-letter night for Post 4.

Sons of Veterani A DELEGATION from Camp 33 attended the meeting of Camp 139, Sharpsburg. AN order has been issued for another court nartial in this city A member of Davis Camp

THE first meeting of Camp 162, with the new officers in command, will be neld next Tues-day. A good meeting is expected. CAMP 263, of Mansfield, has five recruits to muster at the next meeting. Camp 33's crack muster team will show how it is done.

THE commissioned officers of Camp 162 at tended the installation and open meeting of Camp 139, Sharpsburg, on Friday evening. MRS. ADA L. SHANNON, of Philadelphia, Division President of the Ladies' Aid Socie-

Division President of the Ladles' Aid Societies, is in Pittsburg. She expects to visit all societies in this vicinity before returning East. She is the guest of Mrs. Colonei W. L. Foulk, 507 Fifth avenue.

CAMP 139, Sharpsburg, had its open installation and camp fire on Friday, according to programme. Judge Advocate John A. Wood, of McKeesport, was the installing officer. Judge Collier's address was an excellent one. Quite a number of visiting brothers were present. THE invitations for the Martha Washington reception of Ladies' Ald Society No. 5, auxiliary to Camp 162, are out. At the special meetiary to Camp 162, are out. At the special meet-ing last Tuesday the ladies decided to hold it at the Monongahela House. The affair will be one of the finest of the season. Monday, February 2t, is the date. Guenther's Orchestra will play. Invitations must be presented.

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